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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

1651 Group: Confirmation No.: 8735 10/582,811 Application No.: Filed Electronically **Composition And Method For Inhibiting** Invention: on Salmonella And Campylobacter September 9, 2009 **Colonization In Poultry** Michael Doyle et al. Applicant: June 14, 2006 Filed: 31725-200230 Attorney Docket: Deborah K Ware Examiner:

## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22213-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 9, 2009, applicants request a two month extension of time, entry of the following claim amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Applicants hereby authorized the Commissioner to charge the two month extension fee of \$245.00 (small entity) and any other necessary fee to the account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter number 31725-200230.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.